Andrew Hanson

Funeral services for Andrew L. Hansen, 82, Stratford, were held Wednesday afternoon, February 23, in the Presbyterian Church with the Rev. Robert Carey officiating. Burial was in the West Rondell cemetery. Mr. Hansen died Friday at St. Luke's Hospital, Aberdeen.

Honorary pall bearers were William Schwartz, Ben Jark and William Baggett all of Stratford, Knolen Neill of Columbia, Sanford Gullickson and Charry Gullickson, Aberdeen.

Active pall bearers were Marvin Rossow, Floyd Stoltenberg, Lynn Erdmann and Robert Knickrehm all of Stratford, Albert Miller of Mellette and Donald Baumgartner of Conde. Hurst Williams was soloist and Mrs. Dayle Lucdeke, organist, Ushers were Duane Jark and Dennis Rossow.

Mr. Hansen was born March 28, 1883 in Denmark and came to the United States at the age of 18, living on a farm near Mitchell. In 1908 they homesteaded north of Faith where he lived for seven years. He married Agnes May Baker in Aberdeen on Nov. 27, 1917. They farmed south of Stratford until 1944 when they moved into Stratford.

Survivors include his wife, three daughters, Mrs. Roy (Marion) Vold, St. Paul, Minn.; Mildred Hansen and Alice Hansen, both of Rapid City; one sister, Mrs. Gina Jorgensen, Denmark and one grandson. He was preceded in death by two brothers and one sister.

Relatives from away attending the funeral were Mr. and Mrs. Roy Vold, St. Paul; Mildred and Alice Hansen, Rapid City; Miss Myrtle Hansen and Mrs. Gertie Thompson, Mitchell; Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Hansen, Mt. Vernon; Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hansen and Mr. and Mrs. Rex McHugh of Fulton; Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Converse, Arlington; Mrs. Will Cowie, Mrs. Earl Bartells, Huron; Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Frank, Wolsey and Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Binger of Tulare.